

I feel that more ways to learn about weather and traffic the better. Some people will always stick to AM stations to their weatherband radio to using the weatherbug on their computer. And if there is a severe storm around or a dangerous accident then I don't see why only a certain entity should only be allowed to broadcast it.

Of course it just comes down to greed. They don't think about families or loved ones. It just decreases the chance of something severe happening. I myself never listen to the weather on the radio so I might drive into a storm and get myself killed doing so. But from XM radio I scroll through channels and the ease of finding weather is so simple that if they had the weather for my area I would listen to it.

Limiting broadcasting more and more is an attempt to create a monopoly in a sense.

Satellite subscribers do pay a fee to listen to their service. It's just another way of informing people what they are up against outside of their cubicle.

Should I not tell someone that asks me if it's going to rain this weekend or not? That is all xm is trying to do.

I strongly feel any subscriber to xm radio isn't getting it solely for the radio.

For me my weather isn't broadcasted and I have to dig around the AM channels to find the radio so I am not affected by the ultimate decision.

It's just like the cricket phone company. They came in business offering a cheap affordable rate plan with no contract. But no one gave them the boot and other cell phone companies just created better options.

Satellite radio is just another way of pleasing people with entertainment that might not be as available to them. It's easier to deal with on the road and can create less irritation to listen to than other stations.

For traffic I don't listen to a certain regular station to find out where the accidents are since they are sporadic on every station, but I do like it when I hear one and know where to not drive.

Satellite radio is just trying to help people out with ease of finding out info that might not be as easy to obtain. I might want to know the weather in New York City which I would never get on any station in Kansas. Just so I know what weather is like there in case I want to move or visit there.

Those are my thoughts.